

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5992
ANSWERED ON:31.08.2001
PROCUREMENT OF SUB-STANDARD FOODGRAINS
PUTTASWAMY GOWDA

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

- (a) the total quantum of sub-standard foodgrains procured by Food Corporation of India during the last three years, year-wise and State-wise;
- (b) the total amount of loss due to procurement of sub-standard foodgrains and the total amount of loss reported to have been caused to other States due to sub-standard foodgrains supplied to them;
- (c) whether some senior officers of FCI have been found to be involved in such huge losses in collusion with the suppliers/middlemen / farmers;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the action taken against such corrupt officers?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI CHAUHAN)

- (a), (b), (c), (d) & (e): The information is being collected and will be laid on the table of the house.